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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any mismatch in generation and transmission capacities of power in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps being taken to strengthen the transmission network in the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M. SAYEED)

(a) : No, Sir.

(b) : Does not arise in view of reply to (a) above.

(c) : Transmission system in the country is developed in a planned manner matching with generation addition programme. With each new generation, there is corresponding associated transmission system to evacuate power from the project and transmit to the load centres where the power is to be consumed. Transmission system is also developed to cater to network strengthening needs to meet growing load demand in various areas.

Transmission system for inter-state transmission of power is planned and developed under the Central Sector by the central utilities. Transmission system for transmission and supply of power within the state is planned and developed under the State Sector by the state utilities.